

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
U.S. Appln. No. 09/386,000

15. (Amended) A large printer comprising:

~~a sheet feeding area positioned at a height at which a user standing in front of the printer can set up a printing medium without having to bend substantially at the waist.~~

~~wherein the printing medium includes at least one roll of paper and at least one sheet of stiff carton, and~~

~~wherein the sheet feeding area includes an accommodation space in which the paper roll is loaded and a cover member for covering the accommodation space from above and for supporting the stiff carton from below.~~

REMARKS

Claims 1-6 and 13-18 have been examined, and claims 13-18 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, and 35 U.S.C. § 102(b). Also, the Examiner has indicated that claims 1-6 are allowable.

I. Preliminary matters

A. Approval of formal drawings

The Office Action does not indicate whether the formal drawings filed on November 10, 1999, are acceptable. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to indicate that such drawings are formal.